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FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2696

INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

AMEMBASSY SAIGON

AMEMBASSY TANANARIVE

C O N F I D E N T I A L PARIS 22481

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJECT: PRG ISSUE AT NON-ALIGNED CONFERENCE

REF: A. SAIGON 14927; B. TANANARIVE 1140; C. TANANARIVE 1142
(NOTAL); D. ADDIS ABABA 9856; E. ADDIS ABABA 9919

1. USDEL JEC OFFICER CHECKED WITH GVNDEL MORNING AUGUST 20
AND LEARNED ALL PERSONALITIES ASSOCIATED WITH VISITS HAD
LEFT PARIS EXCEPT DELEGATION CHIEF NGUYEN LUU VIEN, WHO
WAS DEPARTING SHORTLY. GVNDEL CONTACT SUGGESTED DELOFF
PASS INFO TO GVN EMBASSY.

2. DELOFF AND EMBOFF CALLED ON GVN DCM PHAM DANG SUM
AUGUST 21, EARLIEST HE WAS AVAILABLE, AND BRIEFED HIM
ON REFTELS B AND D AS REQUESTED IN REFTEL A. THEY SAID
THEY ASSUMED SAME INFO WAS BEING PASSED TO FOREIGN
MINISTRY IN SAIGON, AND THAT A FURTHER REPORT FROM
ADDIS ABABA WAS EXPECTED. (IN FOLLOW-UP CALL MORNING
AUGUST 22, SUM WAS BRIEFED ON PARAGRAPHS 1 AND 2 OF
REFTEL E).

3. SUM EXPRESSED APPRECIATION. HE SAID AFRICAN VISITS
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WERE BEING COORDINATED BY GVN AMBASSADOR IN LONDON

VUONG VAN BAC BECAUSE OF HIS ACCESS TO ANGLOPHONE
AFRICAN EMBASSIES THERE, AND THAT CONSEQUENTLY OUR
INFORMATION WOULD BE SENT TO BAC AS WELL AS TO SAIGON.

4. IN DISCUSSING VISITS SUM SAID THAT IN MANY COUNTRIES
ENVOYS HAD ASSURANCES ONLY OF SEEING OLD FRIENDS, BUT
HOPED THROUGH THEM TO REACH DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY THE
POLITICAL LEADERS DECIDING ON PRG ISSUE. (COMMENT:
PRESUMABLY SUM'S KNOWLEDGE EXTENDS ONLY TO AFRICAN AND
MIDDLE EASTERN VISITS.)
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